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Date: Wed, 01 Dec 1993 18:49:41 GMT  
From: yuma!galen@purdue.edu  
Subject: 304 AM Transmitter-HELP!  
To: ham-equip@ucsd.edu

I have an AM transmitter using 304's for the modulator and the final.  
I've been told it was built by Phil, KD7EB, who has gone to his reward.  
I'm not sure I have all the parts, but I'd like to get it lit up and  
running. Any help or references anyone can provide would be helpful.

I'm also looking for the addresses of:

'AM Press Exchange' and 'Electric Radio' magazines, as I was pointed  
in theses directions also.

No, the modulation transformer is not for sale,  
Galen, KF0YJ

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Date: Wed, 1 Dec 1993 19:17:05 GMT  
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Subject: Features of the Icom 24AT  
To: ham-equip@ucsd.edu

What features does the Icom 24AT have? Thanks in advance. Eric Raub  
eraub@umn.edu

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Date: 3 Dec 1993 20:13:20 GMT  
From: pravda.sdsc.edu!news.cerf.net!nic.cerf.net!marben@network.ucsd.edu  
Subject: GMRS transceivers  
To: ham-equip@ucsd.edu

The new Radio Shack UHF tranceiver for GMRS is on sale  
til xmas at \$150 (\$80 off). Is this a good radio for personal/home  
communications or is there a better brand that I should look at?

Also, in general how does a 5 watt UHF compare with a 5 watt CB  
in terms of audio quality and range?

Any ideas would be much appreciated.

James (james@marben.com)

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Date: Wed, 1 Dec 1993 23:42:13 GMT  
From: psinntp!halon!sybase!srikant@uunet.uu.net  
Subject: Info on Yeasu FT840 requested  
To: ham-equip@ucsd.edu

Hello:

My Dad is a ham operator in India and has requested for the price of the  
FT840 (new and used). As I am totally ignorant in this field, I would like  
to request you for the names of some of the reputable dealers (used and new  
equipment). I would also like to purchase a NiCad battery pack (FND27). How  
much would this cost and where do I buy it from? I stay in Alameda and work  
in Emeryville (in the SFO Bay area). Is there someplace that has the catalogues  
of all the existing models?

Thanks.

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nigel.msen.com!montego!not-for-mail@network.ucsd.edu  
Subject: New Ham 'bout to arrive  
To: ham-equip@ucsd.edu

In January 1994, I'll be taking my technician class ham test.  
Aside from the fact that I'm overwhelmed with a lot of the 'technical'  
aspects, here's my problem.

I live on the bottom-floor of an apartment complex. They do not  
permit whatsoever any external antenna/rigs/etc.

Q1: Will it be possible to set up a transceiver in my apartment  
and still maintain decent tx and rx of other hams?  
(I mean decent as in I can hope to at least TRANSMIT around 30-50  
miles, or am I dreaming?)

Q2: I don't wish to spend \$5,000 for a super-duper rig. I want something  
simple, easy-to-use-and-set-up, and HOPEFULLY under \$700. Used equipment  
is not out of the question. For my needs, is this also a dream?

Q3: The hand-held transceivers I see on a few folks - these things actually  
get any good distance, or are they limited to under 10 miles???  
I just can't see a hand-held going over 5 miles. But, then again,  
I'm thinking in terms of CB and non-repeater business radio.

Of course I'm a virgin here. Did you have to ask?

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